

## Witness List and Testimony

1. National Job Corps Association, Brigadier General (retired) Billy Cooper, Center Director, Earle C. Clements Job Corps Center ( [Testimony](#) )
2. American Legion, Joseph C. Sharpe, Jr. , Director, National Economic Commission ( [Testimony](#) )
3. Building and Construction Trades Department, Robert Pleasure, Special Assistant to the President, Building and Construction Trades Department, AFL-CIO ( [Testimony](#) )
4. Knowledge Alliance, James W. Kohlmoos, President ( [Testimony](#) )
5. Afterschool Alliance, Chris Francis, CEO, YMCA of the Northwoods, Rhinelander, WI ( [Testimony](#) )
6. National Writing Project, Sharon J. Washington, Executive Director ( [Testimony](#) )
7. Fight Crime: Invest in Kids, Dean Roland, Sheriff, Burnett County, WI ( [Testimony](#) )
8. American Association of Museums, Ford W. Bell, President ( [Testimony](#) )
9. National Public Radio, Vivian Schiller, President and CEO ( [Testimony](#) )
10. National Head Start Association, Yasmina Vinci, Executive Director ( [Testimony](#) )
11. National Association for State Community Services Programs, Tunde Eboda, PhD, CSBG State Administrator, District of Columbia ( [Testimony](#) )
12. National Alliance to End Homelessness, Steven R. Berg, Vice President for Programs and Policy ( [Testimony](#) )
13. National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors, Kevin Martrone, Commissioner, New Jersey Department of Human Services, Division of Mental Health Services ( [Testimony](#) )
14. National Alliance on Mental Illness, Michael J. Fitzpatrick, Executive Director ( [Testimony](#) )
15. Coalition for Health Funding, Julio Abreu, Senior Director, Government Affairs, Mental Health America, Alexandria, VA ( [Testimony](#) )
16. AIDS Institute, James Sykes, Director of Global Programs, Policy and Advocacy ( [Testimony](#) )
17. Health Professions and Nursing Education Coalition, Dr. Heidi Chumley, Senior Associate Dean of Medical Education, University of Kansas Medical Center ( [Testimony](#) )
18. American Academy of Family Physicians, Lori J. Heim, MD, President ( [Testimony](#) )
19. Association of Minority Health Professions Schools, Inc., Wayne J. Riley, MD, MPH, Chairman, Board of Directors ( [Testimony](#) )
20. American Nurses Association, Debbie Hatmaker, PhD, RN-BC, SANE-A, First Vice President, Board of Directors ( [Testimony](#) )
21. American Geriatrics Society, Cheryl Phillips, MD, AGSF, President ( [Testimony](#) )
22. National Association of Children's Hospitals, Peggy Troy RN, MSN, President and CEO, Children's Hospital and Health System, WI ( [Testimony](#) )

